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INTRODUCTION:

The Manitoba Bureau of Statistics (MBS) has prepared this report as part of its economic statistics program. The purpose is to provide information for Manitoba on the importance and impact of international merchandise trade.

This publication provides merchandise export and import statistics by country, country grouping, commodity and industry. The information is from Statistics Canada's International Trade Division.

MBS adjusts the value of exports for some commodities in its Manitoba Economic Accounts. These adjustments are undertaken to better reflect the value of the foreign export of these commodities to the provincial economy.

Users should be aware that the export data is on a "province of origin" basis, while the import data is on a "province of clearance" basis. Therefore, imports from other countries are not counted if they are cleared through custom ports in other provinces and then shipped to Manitoba (MBS would count these as interprovincial imports). This implies that the trade balances calculated for individual countries could overstate Manitoba's actual position.

All commodity data presented in this report are based on the 4-digit level Harmonized System (HS).

The Manitoba Bureau of Statistics has available additional detailed information, which can be supplied to interested users on a cost recovery basis. Export/Import information that can be provided includes:

i) individual commodities for specific countries
ii) individual commodities by country (volume and dollar value) at the 4, 6, 8, or 10 digit HS level
iii) commodities by country for specific industries or sectors.

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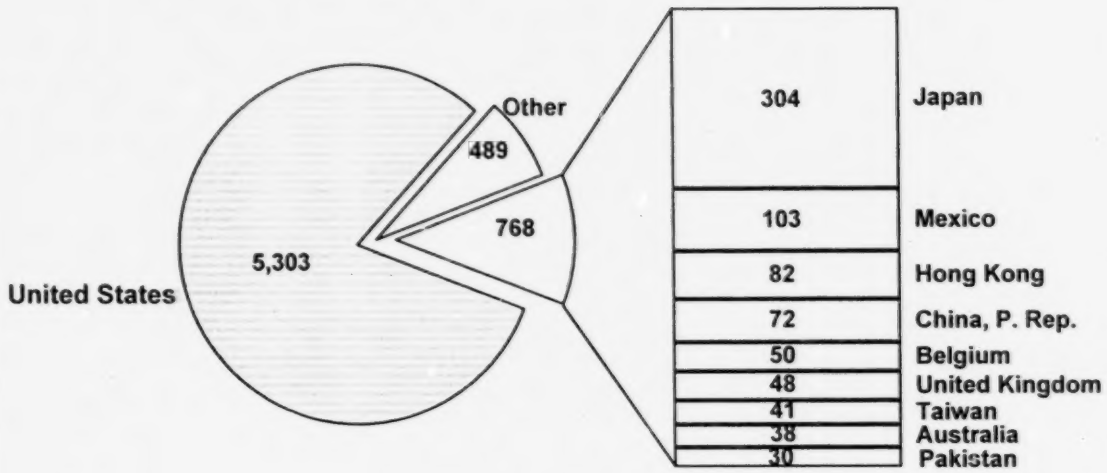
NOTE TO USERS:

The data presented in this report has been derived from the most current estimates released by Statistics Canada's International Trade Division. For the 2001 and 2002 calendar years, MBS has made a reduction of $534.0 and $1,195.4 million respectively to aircraft imports from France to better reflect Manitoba's true share of these imports that are used throughout Canada.

This report includes four historical tables (Tables 11(a & b) and 12(a & b)). They provide the current export data by selected country and industry for the years 1999 to 2002.

It is to be noted that revisions to previous year's data (2002) now occur on a quarterly basis. This results in an increase of $110.4 million between the current and the previous estimates of total export numbers for the 2002 calendar year.

Manitoba Exports
By Selected Country
Jan to Sep 2003 ($Millions)



Manitoba Exports
To the United States
Jan to Sep 2003 ($Millions)

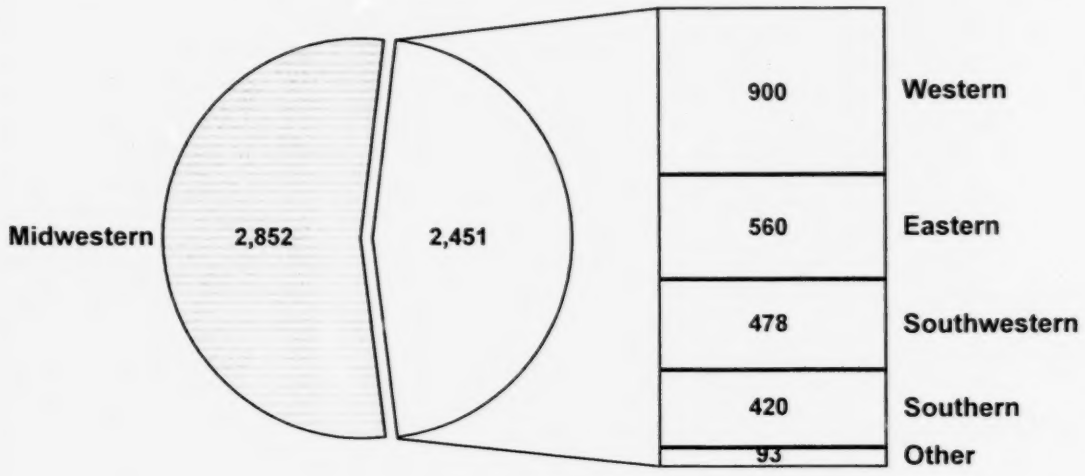


Table 1. Manitoba Exports by Selected Country **($ Millions)**

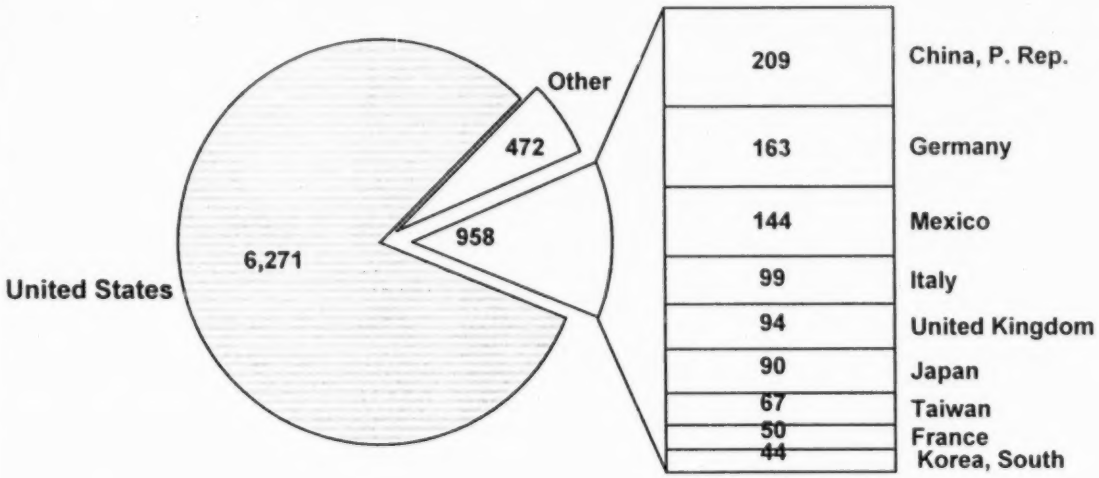
	Jul to Sep 2002	Jul to Sep 2003	Percent Change	Year to Date 2002	Year to Date 2003	Percent Change
United States	1,949.5	1,744.5	-10.5	5,734.8	5,303.3	-7.5
Japan	106.3	80.1	-24.6	331.3	303.7	-8.3
Mexico	24.0	40.4	68.4	92.4	103.4	12.0
Hong Kong	24.4	19.0	-22.0	72.5	82.3	13.5
China, P. Rep.	13.0	19.7	51.2	47.9	71.8	50.0
Belgium	20.5	15.7	-23.5	67.7	49.6	-26.7
United Kingdom	17.7	11.2	-36.9	48.8	47.8	-2.0
Taiwan	11.8	9.7	-18.1	41.5	41.1	-1.1
Australia	15.0	13.4	-10.4	37.8	38.0	0.5
Pakistan	0.0	20.2	n/a	0.1	30.3	24,601.9
Sub-Total	**2,182.3**	**1,973.9**	**-9.6**	**6,474.8**	**6,071.3**	**-6.2**
Other Countries	**149.0**	**185.0**	**24.2**	**523.0**	**489.4**	**-6.4**
Total Exports	**2,331.3**	**2,158.9**	**-7.4**	**6,997.8**	**6,560.7**	**-6.2**

Table 2. Manitoba Exports to the United States(1) **($ Millions)**

	Jul to Sep 2002	Jul to Sep 2003	Percent Change	Year to Date 2002	Year to Date 2003	Percent Change
Eastern States	288.1	214.2	-25.6	824.2	560.4	-32.0
Midwestern States	1,040.5	920.9	-11.5	3,062.7	2,852.0	-6.9
Southern States	141.3	141.8	0.3	414.0	420.4	1.5
Southwestern States	206.2	156.4	-24.1	567.5	477.8	-15.8
Western States	230.0	275.3	19.7	759.9	899.7	18.4
Other States	43.5	35.8	-17.6	106.5	93.1	-12.5
Total Exports	**1,949.5**	**1,744.5**	**-10.5**	**5,734.8**	**5,303.3**	**-7.5**

(1) See Endnotes

Manitoba Imports
By Selected Country
Jan to Sep 2003 ($Millions)



Manitoba Imports
From the United States
Jan to Sep 2003 ($Millions)

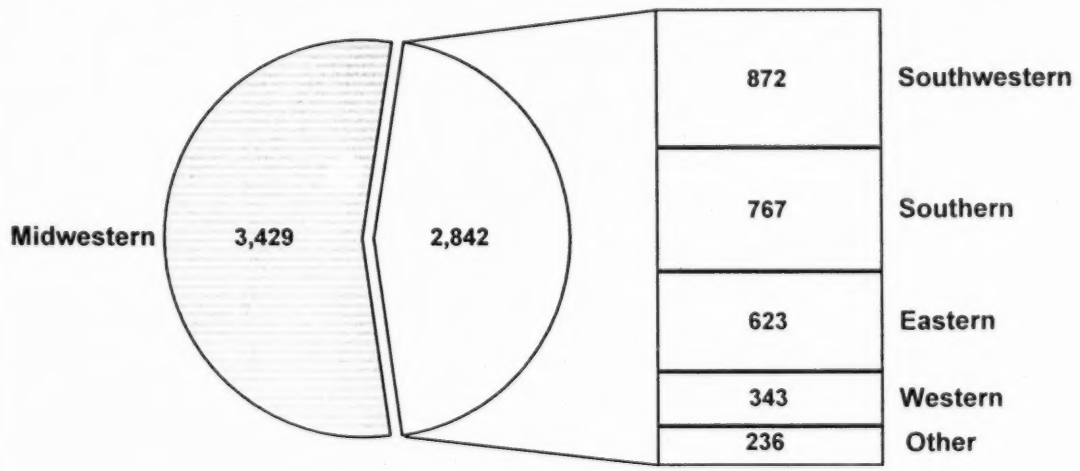


Table 3. Manitoba Imports by Selected Country **($ Millions)**

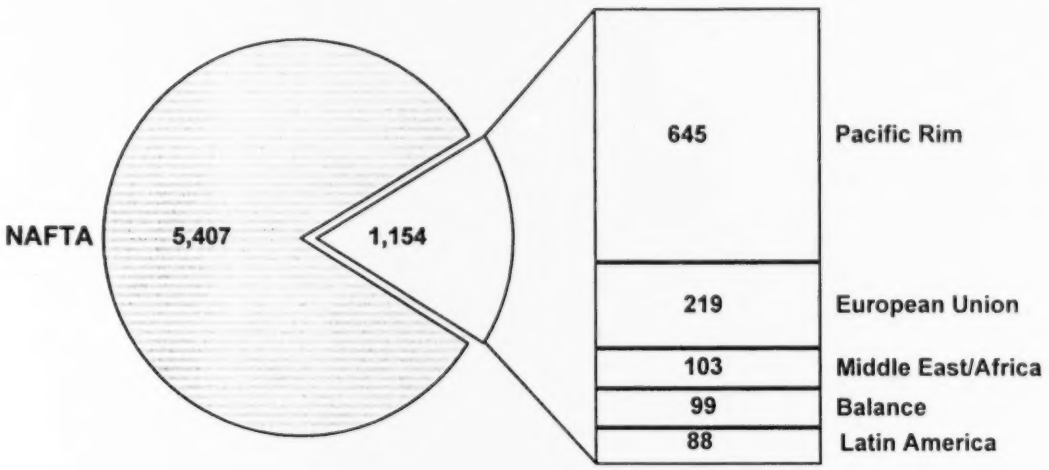
	Jul to Sep 2002	Jul to Sep 2003	Percent Change	Year to Date 2002	Year to Date 2003	Percent Change
United States	2,050.0	1,988.3	-3.0	6,310.5	6,271.4	-0.6
China, P. Rep.	69.3	72.9	5.2	179.4	208.6	16.3
Germany	36.5	43.8	20.0	105.5	163.1	54.7
Mexico	49.2	43.4	-11.9	141.5	143.9	1.7
Italy	24.4	28.9	18.6	68.3	98.6	44.4
United Kingdom	17.0	17.4	1.9	74.5	93.8	25.9
Japan	20.3	24.9	22.4	85.4	89.9	5.3
Taiwan	21.1	28.7	35.9	64.5	66.9	3.7
France	22.1	12.7	-42.7	81.1	50.0	-38.4
Korea, South	14.7	14.1	-3.8	44.2	43.7	-1.1
Sub-Total	**2,324.6**	**2,275.0**	**-2.1**	**7,154.9**	**7,229.9**	**1.0**
Other Countries	**150.2**	**151.4**	**0.8**	**468.4**	**472.4**	**0.8**
Total Imports	**2,474.9**	**2,426.3**	**-2.0**	**7,623.3**	**7,702.3**	**1.0**

Table 4. Manitoba Imports from the United States(1) **($ Millions)**

	Jul to Sep 2002	Jul to Sep 2003	Percent Change	Year to Date 2002	Year to Date 2003	Percent Change
Eastern States	214.5	207.1	-3.4	663.8	623.5	-6.1
Midwestern States	1,139.0	1,075.3	-5.6	3,444.2	3,429.4	-0.4
Southern States	230.1	224.2	-2.6	775.1	766.6	-1.1
Southwestern States	315.2	286.4	-9.1	922.0	872.3	-5.4
Western States	128.2	106.3	-17.1	407.5	343.3	-15.7
Other States	23.0	88.9	286.5	97.8	236.3	141.5
Total Imports	**2,050.0**	**1,988.3**	**-3.0**	**6,310.5**	**6,271.4**	**-0.6**

(1) See Endnotes

Manitoba Exports
By Country Grouping
Jan to Sep 2003 ($Millions)



Manitoba Imports
By Country Grouping
Jan to Sep 2003 ($Millions)

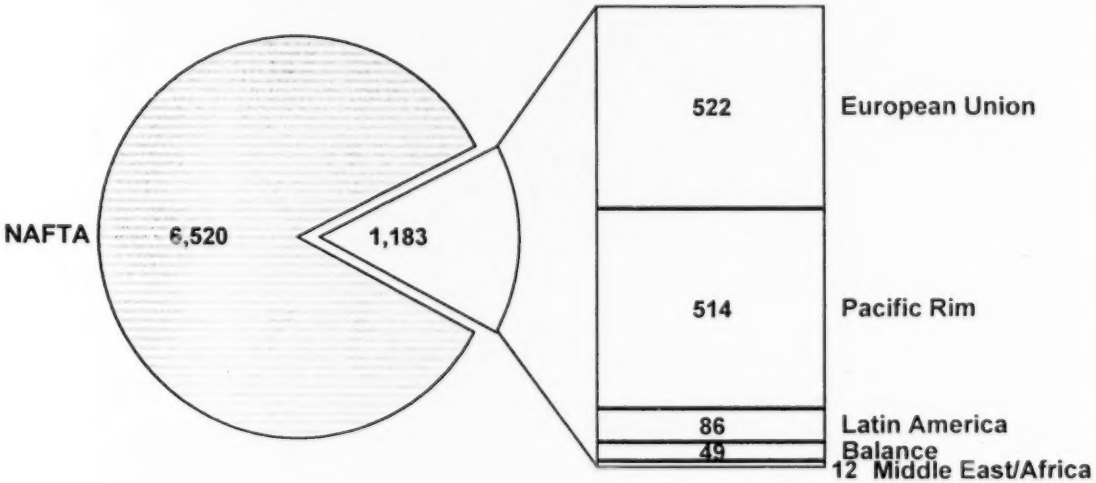


Table 5. Manitoba Exports by Country Grouping (2) **($ Millions)**

	Jul to Sep 2002	Jul to Sep 2003	Percent Change	Year to Date 2002	Year to Date 2003	Percent Change
NAFTA	1,973.5	1,784.9	-9.6	5,827.2	5,406.7	-7.2
European Union	73.3	69.6	-5.1	225.7	218.7	-3.1
Middle East/Africa	34.7	44.4	28.0	115.9	103.0	-11.1
Pacific Rim	204.6	177.6	-13.2	661.2	644.8	-2.5
Latin America	36.5	36.6	0.4	136.6	88.5	-35.2
Balance	8.7	45.9	425.8	31.3	99.1	216.3
Total Exports	**2,331.3**	**2,158.9**	**-7.4**	**6,997.8**	**6,560.7**	**-6.2**

(2) See Endnotes

Table 6. Manitoba Imports by Country Grouping (2) **($ Millions)**

	Jul to Sep 2002	Jul to Sep 2003	Percent Change	Year to Date 2002	Year to Date 2003	Percent Change
NAFTA	2,130.9	2,071.3	-2.8	6,550.5	6,519.7	-0.5
European Union	130.9	134.0	2.4	428.4	521.8	21.8
Middle East/Africa	7.4	4.0	-45.6	19.4	12.2	-37.0
Pacific Rim	163.6	178.1	8.8	485.0	513.8	5.9
Latin America	22.8	23.4	2.5	84.2	85.7	1.9
Balance	19.4	15.5	-19.8	55.8	49.1	-12.1
Total Imports	**2,474.9**	**2,426.3**	**-2.0**	**7,623.3**	**7,702.3**	**1.0**

(2) See Endnotes

Table 7. Manitoba Exports by Selected Commodity **($ Millions)**

	Jul to Sep 2002	Jul to Sep 2003	Percent Change	Year to Date 2002	Year to Date 2003	Percent Change
Wheat	125.1	144.5	15.5	458.4	330.3	-27.9
Meat of swine	118.4	89.0	-24.8	331.3	315.3	-4.9
Unwrought nickel	95.8	61.9	-35.4	292.5	252.9	-13.5
Unrefined copper: copper anodes for electrolytic refining	70.4	73.1	3.9	209.7	266.6	27.1
Electrical Energy	124.3	87.2	-29.8	308.7	244.9	-20.7
Live swine	49.5	85.6	72.9	192.0	201.5	5.0
Other furniture and parts	69.6	63.7	-8.5	216.6	190.3	-12.1
Bodies (including cabs), for motor vehicles	66.4	52.6	-20.7	242.8	185.5	-23.6
Rape or colza seeds, whether or not broken	30.7	67.6	120.1	124.0	179.0	44.4
Aircraft parts	61.9	45.9	-25.9	216.1	141.1	-34.7
Frozen vegetables (incl potatoes), nes	42.1	55.1	31.0	119.6	135.9	13.6
Rape, colza or mustard oil, whether or not refined	38.5	51.0	32.4	91.4	127.7	39.8
Newsprint, in rolls or sheets	29.9	30.1	0.4	92.8	110.4	19.0
Live bovine animals	68.7	0.0	-100.0	198.4	106.7	-46.2
Blood and blood preparations	9.0	27.6	207.2	33.3	95.7	187.0
Sub-Total	**1,000.3**	**935.0**	**-6.5**	**3,127.6**	**2,883.7**	**-7.8**
Other Commodities	**1,331.0**	**1,223.9**	**-8.0**	**3,870.2**	**3,677.1**	**-5.0**
Total Exports	**2,331.3**	**2,158.9**	**-7.4**	**6,997.8**	**6,560.7**	**-6.2**

Commodities based on the Harmonized System 4 digit level of detail and are the top commodities on a year-to-date basis.

Table 8. Manitoba Imports by Selected Commodity **($ Millions)**

	Jul to Sep 2002	Jul to Sep 2003	Percent Change	Year to Date 2002	Year to Date 2003	Percent Change
Tractors (other than public works type tractors)	75.4	58.6	-22.3	272.0	286.4	5.3
Personal transportation vehicles	124.3	91.0	-26.8	309.5	255.7	-17.4
Harvesting, threshing machinery, etc	64.7	75.0	15.9	211.0	243.9	15.6
Self-propelled bulldozers, excavators, etc	60.9	64.6	6.1	167.6	212.0	26.5
Electrical Energy	7.0	77.5	1,006.0	39.8	194.6	388.3
Insecticides, etc, packaged for retail sale	12.1	8.3	-31.1	207.4	179.1	-13.6
Motor vehicle parts and accessories	60.9	52.6	-13.6	195.6	166.5	-14.9
Newspapers, journals and periodicals	54.0	52.4	-2.9	158.8	156.3	-1.6
Turbo-jets and gas turbines	56.9	52.6	-7.5	117.2	131.6	12.3
Taps, cocks, valves for pipes tanks, etc.	35.4	31.6	-10.9	119.1	107.2	-10.0
Trailers and semi-trailers, parts	31.8	31.3	-1.7	103.7	104.6	0.9
Maize (corn)	40.8	20.3	-50.2	99.2	84.4	-14.9
New pneumatic tires, of rubber	34.3	28.8	-16.1	102.6	84.3	-17.8
Other furniture and parts	26.9	28.5	6.0	80.6	81.9	1.6
Sub-Total	**685.3**	**673.0**	**-1.8**	**2,184.1**	**2,288.5**	**4.8**
Other Commodities	**1,789.6**	**1,753.4**	**-2.0**	**5,439.2**	**5,413.7**	**-0.5**
Total Imports (3)	**2,474.9**	**2,426.3**	**-2.0**	**7,623.3**	**7,702.3**	**1.0**

(3) Adjustments made to aircraft imports from France.

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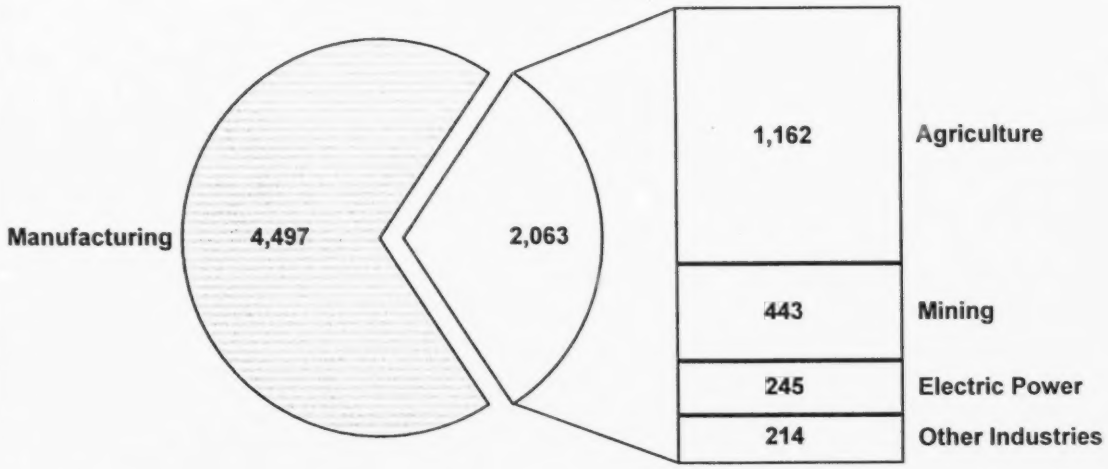
Manitoba Exports
By Industry
Jan to Sep 2003 ($Millions)



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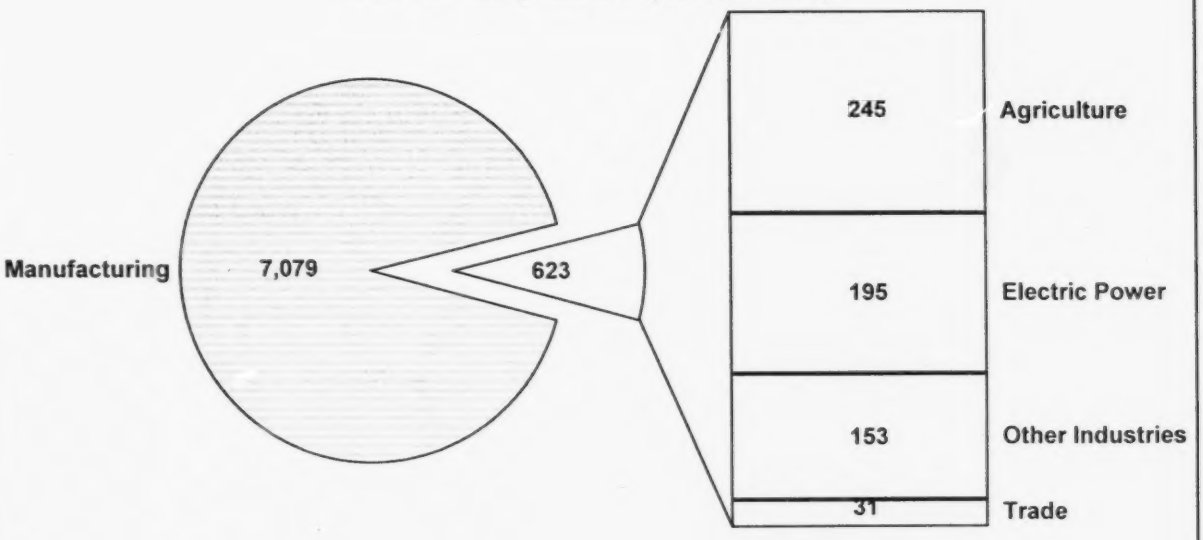

Table 9. Manitoba Merchandise Exports by Industry **($ Millions)**

	Jul to Sep 2002	Jul to Sep 2003	Percent Change	Year to Date 2002	Year to Date 2003	Percent Change
Agriculture	388.8	410.0	5.5	1,341.6	1,162.3	-13.4
Forestry	0.3	0.5	92.9	0.7	1.5	100.1
Fishing, Hunting and Trapping	1.1	0.6	-47.9	4.9	4.2	-13.8
Total Mining	238.4	157.2	-34.1	620.4	442.7	-28.6
Primary Metals Industries	202.3	168.8	-16.5	604.5	627.1	3.7
Machinery Industries	151.1	139.7	-7.6	527.3	494.5	-6.2
Transportation Equipment Industries	214.6	189.1	-11.9	722.7	652.0	-9.8
Electrical and Electronic Products Industries	47.3	44.9	-5.1	146.9	138.6	-5.7
Total Manufacturing	1,497.1	1,427.0	-4.7	4,519.4	4,497.3	-0.5
Electric Power Industry	124.3	87.2	-29.8	308.7	244.9	-20.7
Wholesale Trade	11.6	10.2	-12.1	34.0	35.2	3.4
Retail Trade	0.0	0.0	n/a	0.0	0.0	n/a
Miscellaneous Industries N.E.S.	34.5	33.7	-2.3	79.9	90.1	12.7
Confidential and Low Value Exports	35.4	32.5	-8.1	88.1	82.7	-6.1
Total Exports	**2,331.3**	**2,158.9**	**-7.4**	**6,997.8**	**6,560.7**	**-6.2**

Table 10. Manitoba Merchandise Imports by Industry **($ Millions)**

	Jul to Sep 2002	Jul to Sep 2003	Percent Change	Year to Date 2002	Year to Date 2003	Percent Change
Agriculture	83.2	63.8	-23.3	272.9	245.4	-10.1
Forestry	0.0	0.2	812.7	0.2	0.9	338.0
Fishing, Hunting and Trapping	2.6	2.8	7.2	8.7	10.9	25.9
Total Mining	26.7	27.3	2.1	33.2	40.1	20.6
Primary Metals Industries	56.5	45.7	-19.1	156.9	147.2	-6.2
Machinery Industries	484.2	496.1	2.5	1,537.9	1,671.5	8.7
Transportation Equipment Industries	416.7	374.8	-10.1	1,183.0	1,137.9	-3.8
Electrical and Electronic Products Industries	207.1	215.3	3.9	643.3	622.1	-3.3
Total Manufacturing	2,306.6	2,212.7	-4.1	7,125.4	7,078.9	-0.7
Electric Power Industry	7.1	77.5	994.7	40.2	194.8	384.1
Wholesale Trade	11.7	11.3	-3.6	36.7	30.2	-17.6
Retail Trade	0.2	0.0	-86.5	0.6	0.3	-55.0
Miscellaneous Industries N.E.S.	31.9	26.8	-16.0	93.1	91.9	-1.3
Confidential and Low Value Imports	4.9	3.9	-19.9	12.3	9.0	-27.3
Total Imports	**2,474.9**	**2,426.3**	**-2.0**	**7,623.3**	**7,702.3**	**1.0**

Table 11(a). Manitoba Merchandise Exports by Country: 1999 to 2002 **($ Millions)**

	1999	2000 (4)	2001	2002
United States	6,495.3	6,973.6	7,517.8	7,604.7
Japan	378.3	370.3	454.6	474.7
Mexico	105.5	124.8	177.3	148.1
Belgium	88.2	127.5	147.5	117.9
Hong Kong	57.1	128.6	140.2	112.1
China, P. Rep.	161.0	108.5	167.9	79.2
United Kingdom	68.3	61.3	56.1	72.4
Taiwan	33.8	55.2	52.1	57.6
Australia	18.8	27.4	39.5	47.8
Korea, South	23.5	34.5	47.7	43.5
Other Countries	609.3	667.1	775.3	645.7
Total Exports	**8,039.1**	**8,678.8**	**9,576.1**	**9,403.6**

Table 11(b). Manitoba Merchandise Exports by Country **(Annual Percent Growth)**

	2000 (4)	2001	2002
United States	7.4	7.8	1.2
Japan	-2.1	22.7	4.4
Mexico	18.3	42.1	-16.5
Belgium	44.7	15.7	-20.1
Hong Kong	125.3	9.1	-20.1
China, P. Rep.	-32.6	54.8	-52.8
United Kingdom	-10.2	-8.5	28.9
Taiwan	63.1	-5.5	10.5
Australia	45.8	44.3	21.0
Korea, South	46.9	38.1	-8.7
Other Countries	9.5	16.2	-16.7
Total Exports	**8.0**	**10.3**	**-1.8**

(4) Adjustments made to coin exports and copper imports to/from the United States for the year 2000.

Table 12(a). Manitoba Merchandise Exports by Industry: 1999 to 2002 **($ Millions)**

	1999	2000 (4)	2001	2002
Agriculture	1,575.0	1,594.1	2,030.0	1,839.0
Forestry	0.9	2.0	1.7	0.9
Fishing, Hunting and Trapping	9.5	8.7	9.1	6.0
Total Mining	540.1	629.2	703.7	785.5
Primary Metals Industries	608.1	745.8	803.5	847.1
Machinery Industries	503.9	584.8	535.9	679.8
Transportation Equipment Industries	1,229.6	1,053.0	1,139.7	944.5
Electrical and Electronic Products Industries	235.7	274.7	273.8	188.2
Total Manufacturing	5,347.6	5,746.8	6,029.1	6,102.3
Electric Power Industry	343.0	442.7	534.7	390.5
Wholesale Trade	66.7	68.5	59.7	46.9
Retail Trade	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0
Miscellaneous Industries N.E.S.	50.5	64.8	84.9	113.0
Confidential and Low Value Imports	105.7	122.1	123.2	119.6
Total Exports	**8,039.1**	**8,678.8**	**9,576.1**	**9,403.6**

Table 12(b). Manitoba Merchandise Exports by Industry **(Annual Percent Growth)**

	2000 (4)	2001	2002
Agriculture	1.2	27.3	-9.4
Forestry	114.7	-14.8	-49.1
Fishing, Hunting and Trapping	-9.1	4.6	-34.4
Total Mining	16.5	11.8	11.6
Primary Metals Industries	22.6	7.7	5.4
Machinery Industries	16.1	-8.4	26.9
Transportation Equipment Industries	-14.4	8.2	-17.1
Electrical and Electronic Products Industries	16.5	-0.3	-31.3
Total Manufacturing	7.5	4.9	1.2
Electric Power Industry	29.0	20.8	-27.0
Wholesale Trade	2.7	-12.8	-21.5
Retail Trade	n/a	272.1	-90.2
Miscellaneous Industries N.E.S.	28.3	30.9	33.1
Confidential and Low Value Imports	15.4	0.9	-2.9
Total Exports	**8.0**	**10.3**	**-1.8**

(4) Adjustments made to coin exports and copper imports to/from the United States for the year 2000.

Endnote (1):

East:
- Connecticut
- Delaware
- District of Columbia
- Maine
- Maryland
- Massachusetts
- New Hampshire
- New Jersey
- New York
- Pennsylvania
- Rhode Island
- Vermont

Midwest:
- Illinois
- Indiana
- Iowa
- Kansas
- Michigan
- Minnesota
- Nebraska
- North Dakota
- Ohio
- South Dakota
- Wisconsin

South:
- Alabama
- Florida
- Georgia
- Mississippi
- North Carolina
- South Carolina
- Virginia
- West Virginia

Southwest:
- Arkansas
- Kentucky
- Louisiana
- Missouri
- Oklahoma
- Tennessee
- Texas

West:
- Arizona
- California
- Colorado
- Idaho
- Montana
- Nevada
- New Mexico
- Oregon
- Utah
- Washington, state
- Wyoming

Other:
- Alaska
- Hawaii
- Puerto Rico
- U.S. Virgin Islands
- Other State

Endnote (2):

NAFTA:
- Canada
- Mexico
- United States

European Union:
- Austria
- Belgium
- Denmark
- Finland
- France
- Germany
- Greece
- Ireland
- Italy
- Luxembourg
- Netherlands
- Portugal
- Spain
- Sweden
- United Kingdom

Pacific Rim:
- Brunei Darussalam
- China, People's Republic
- Hong Kong
- Indonesia
- Japan
- Korea, South
- Macau
- Malaysia
- Philippines
- Singapore
- Taiwan
- Thailand
- Vietnam
- American Samoa
- Australia
- Fiji
- French Polynesia
- Guam
- Kiribati
- Nauru
- New Caledonia
- New Zealand
- Papua, N.G.
- Pitcairn Island
- Other Oceania
- Tokelau
- Tonga
- U.S. Outlying Is.

Middle East/Africa:
- Bahrain
- Cyprus
- Egypt
- Ethiopia
- Iran, Isla. Rep.
- Iraq
- Israel
- Jordan
- Kuwait
- Lebanon
- Libyan Arab Jamahiriya
- Oman (Muscat)
- Qatar
- Saudi Arabia
- Somalia
- Sudan
- Syrian Arab Republic
- Turkey
- United Arab Emirates
- Yemen
- All African countries

Latin America:
- All South American countries
- All Central American countries
- All Caribbean countries

Balance:
- All other countries

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